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BLUE AND GOLD

Bettie Jones Cass
'49

Best wishes
to
a swell music
teacher, even though
Marshall and I didn't
get to sing much. He will have
a chance next year.
"a Good Friend"
"Real Chert"

It's been nice singing with
you and I hope you have a good
year at the club at Harpersville. I
can never repay you for what
you have done. Remember the
"Bartered Bride" Slim.

Bill
Coulter

Good wishes
to a good
singer.
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to a good
singer.
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to a good
singer.
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singer.
Good wishes
to a good
singer.

I like you Betty.
I mean Miss Cook.
and you know how
much I wish you
could be with me
next year. I will
be thinking about
you and wishing
you success where
ever you go.
With my love,
Jackie Snyder

I have really enjoyed
being in the Blue Club
being in two years.
these last "The Bartered
Especially wishing you
Bride. Thank you
a lot of love. Willie
next position. Willie
Barbara

I can never express
how much I have
really enjoyed your
being our teacher for
the club. You have
really made us all
become closer to music
and enjoy it more.
Best Wishes Always
to a wonderful teacher,
pal, & friend.
Clarice

to Betty, I want
to pass along a
compliment I've heard
so many times - that you
are a wonderful
singer. Still miss you
very much when you leave
I hope to see you back
very soon.
Hats off to you.
Peggy Child

Miss Cook
I think you
are a wonderful
singer. Still miss you
very much when you leave
I hope to see you back
very soon.
Hats off to you.
Peggy Child



FOREWORD

The yearbook is probably the best remembrance of High School days. As we turn the pages of this annual in years to come, we can remember the many wonderful days we spent together. We will remember the gay parties and dances on week ends and holidays; the frosty blue football weather; the basketball games; the assemblies; the clubs and even History, Math, English and Science. These can never be forgotten, nor the teachers, friends, and classmates that gave meaning to these things.

Our school days are coming to an end, but they have all been fun and we will treasure them for many years to come.

Therefore, let this yearbook be a keepsake, a keepsake of Griffith, to be loved and cherished always.

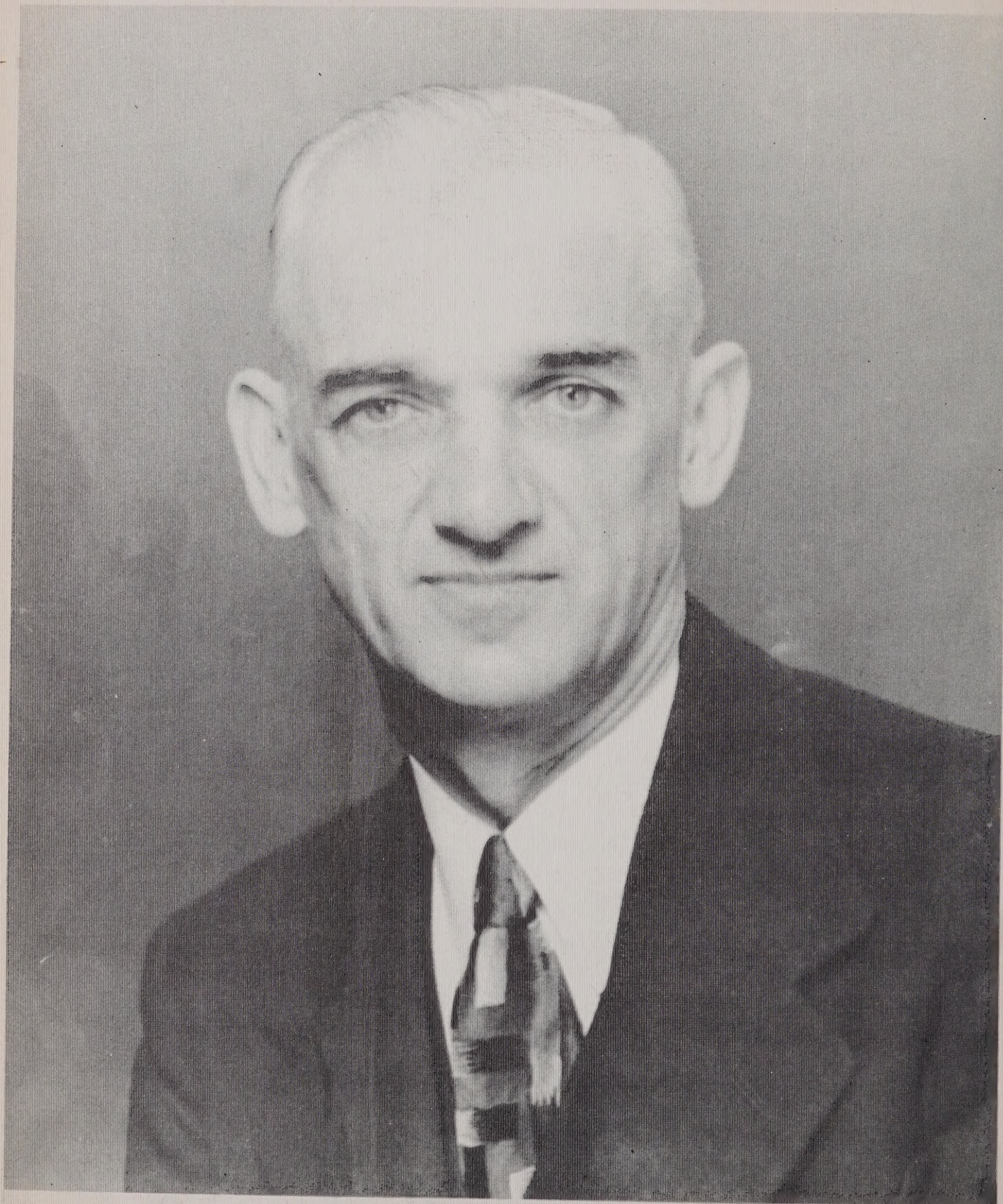
DEDICATION

To a noble woman-
generous in
thought, kind in
deed, a restrainer
of our excesses,
a developer of
our latent abilities,
a sharer of our many joys,
an absorber of our griefs
and fears — to our friend
and counselor, Mrs. Hazelle
M. Northrop, we dedicate
with fond affection this
the second volume of
our year book.





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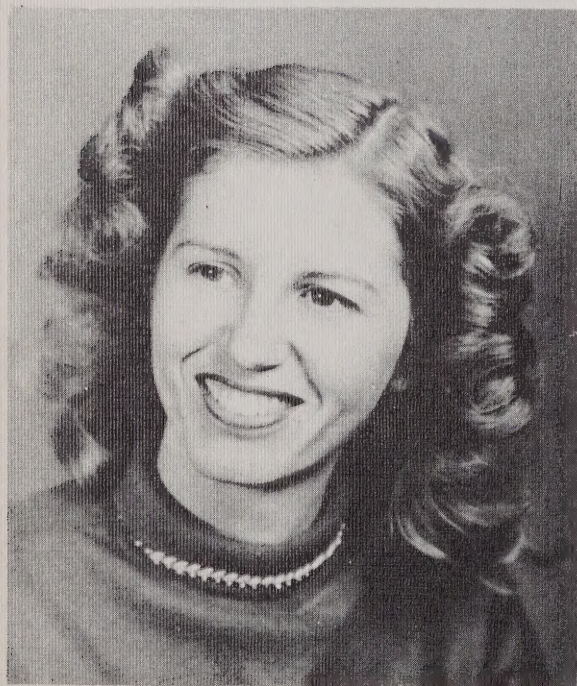


*Betty - We loved you and
certainly do not want to
fire you. We - Juniors
appreciate everything you have
done for us. Good luck!
Sincerely,
Agnes Swift*

Agnes Swift
Social Science



Mary Livengood
Foreign Language



Audette Salmon
Science

*I wish you
much success
in your new job.
Will miss you J. Nelson*

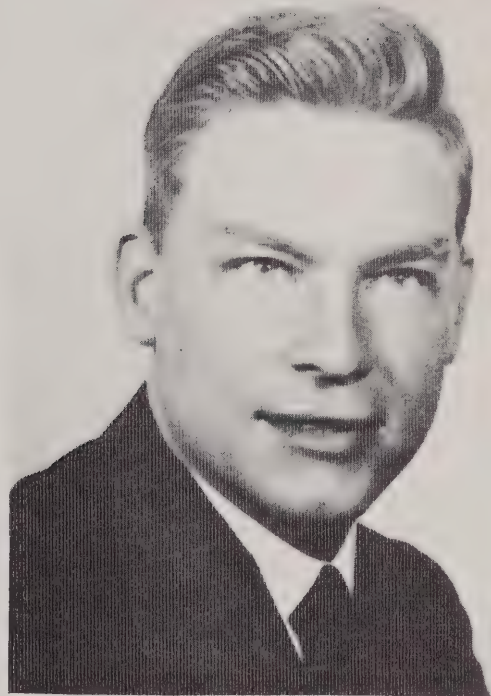


James Nelson
Commercial

ADMINISTRATION



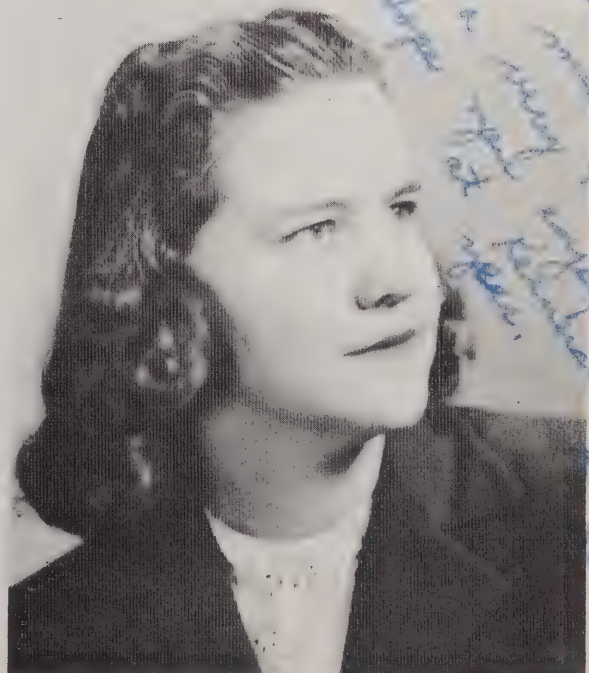
Fay Benton
Home Economics



Reece Shugart
Athletics



Bettie Cook
Glee Club



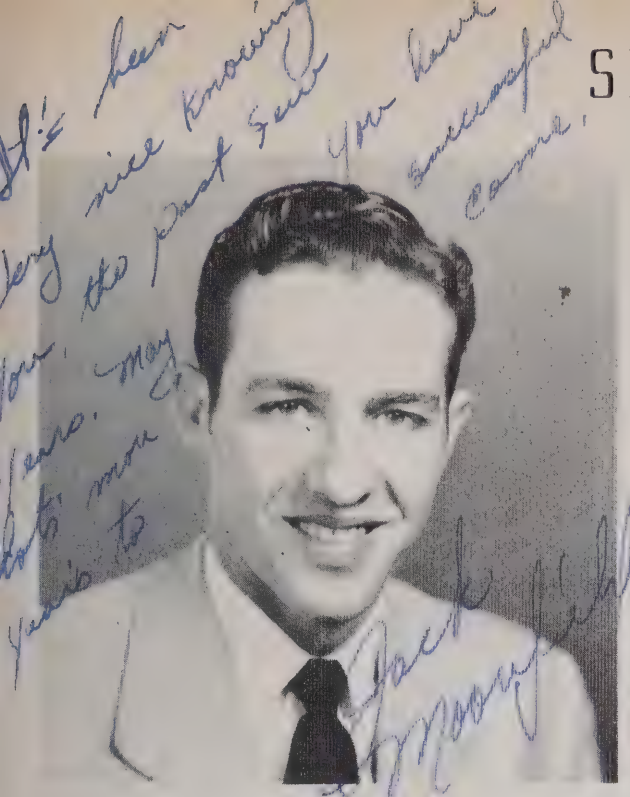
Sarah Hunter
Math



JIMMY WHITE—KING

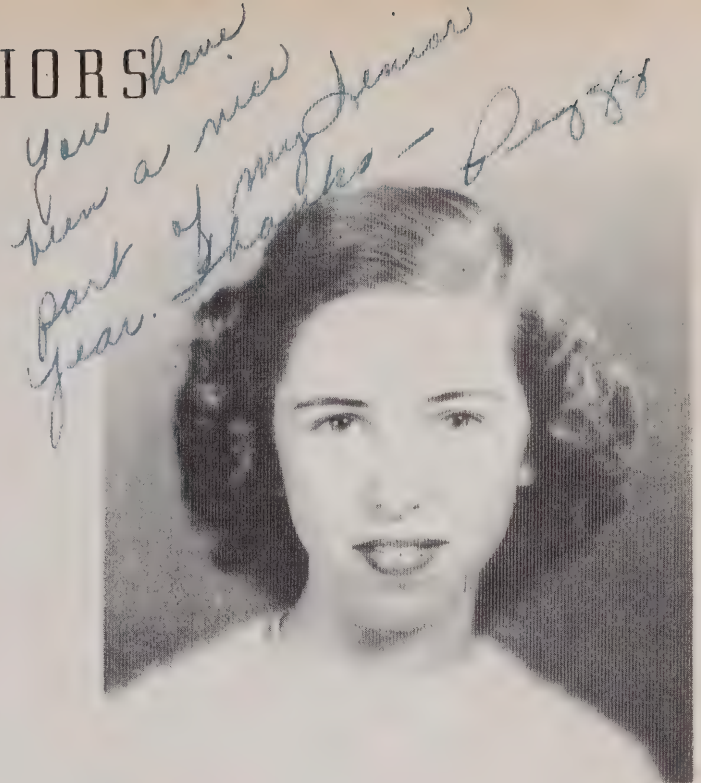
FAYE KNOUSE—QUEEN

SENIORS



Jack Dowell Moorefield
President

Dramatic Club President 3; Junior Marshal, Chief, 3; Class President 4; Bus Driver 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Student Council Secretary 3; Driving Club 3.



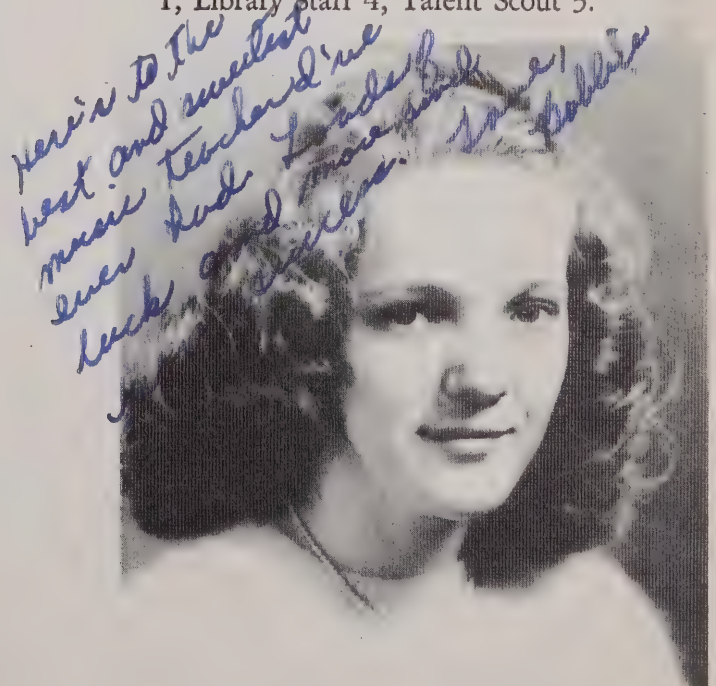
Peggy Sue Knouse
Vice President

Cheerleader 1, 2, 3; Beta Club Secretary 3, 4; Monogram Club 3; Glee Club Accompanist 2, 3, 4; Business Club 3; Journalism Club 4; Annual Staff 3, 4; Newspaper Staff 4; Student Council, Vice President 4; Class Vice President 1, 4; Music Club 3, 4; Science Club President 1; Library Staff 4; Talent Scout 3.



Nelia Vernelle Stanley
Secretary

Class President 2, 3; Class Secretary 1, 4; Cheerleader 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4, Secretary; Journalism 4; Student Council 4; Dramatics 3; Annual Staff 4; Library Staff 4; Hall Monitor 3; Science Club 1.



Bobbie Jean Brown
Treasurer

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 4; Journalism 4; Beta Club 3, 4; Science Club 3; Class Treasurer 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Junior Marshal 3; Driving Club 3; F. H. A. Club 1, 2.

SENIORS



Charles Thomas Rierson
Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Bus Driver 4; Journalism 4; Science Club 3.



It has been a great pleasure singing with you - I hope you will be extremely happy in your position next year - Always, Norma

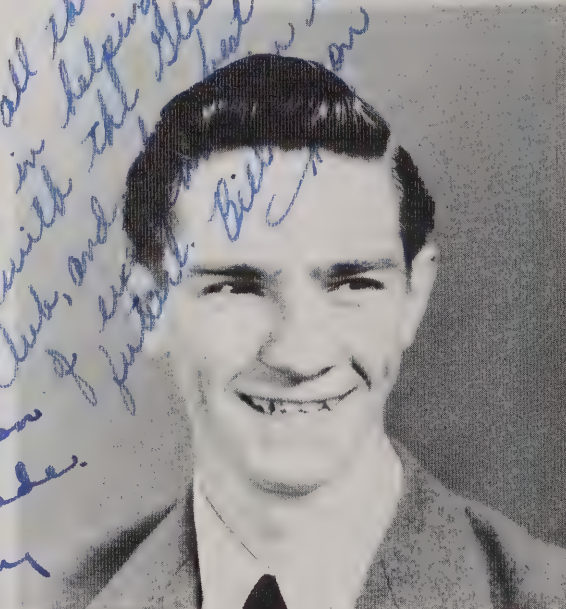
Norma Jean Hartman
Class Treasurer 1; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Journalism Club, Vice President 3; Editor of Annual 4, Assistant Editor 3; Newspaper Staff 3; F. H. A. Club 2; Student Council 4; Music Club 4; Radio Reporter 3; Driving Club 3; Library Staff 4; 4-H Club 1, 2.



Best wishes "Cookie" - I'll remember you with enjoyment, affection and gratitude. Nancy

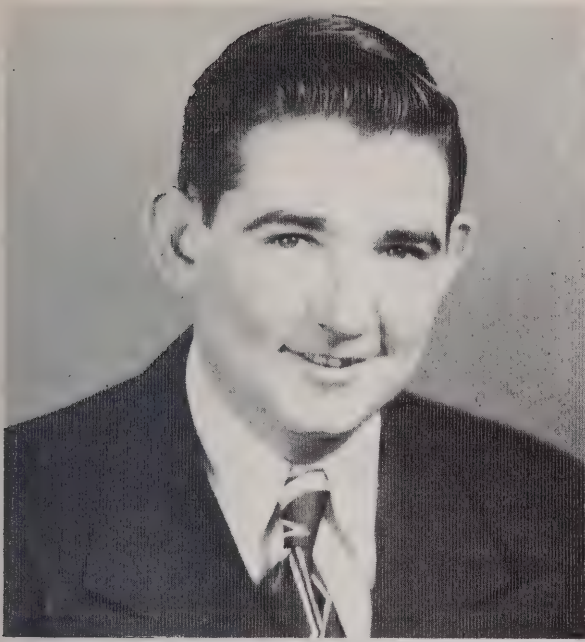
Nancy Jacqueline Dickerson
Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Class Poet 4; Journalism Club 3, 4, Treasurer 4; Music Club Secretary 4; Newspaper Staff 3, 4; Assistant Editor Clarion 4; Annual Staff 4; Driving Club 3; Science Club 3; F. H. A. Club 2.

Thanks for all the assistance in helping me with the Club, and the Blue & Gold. Bill

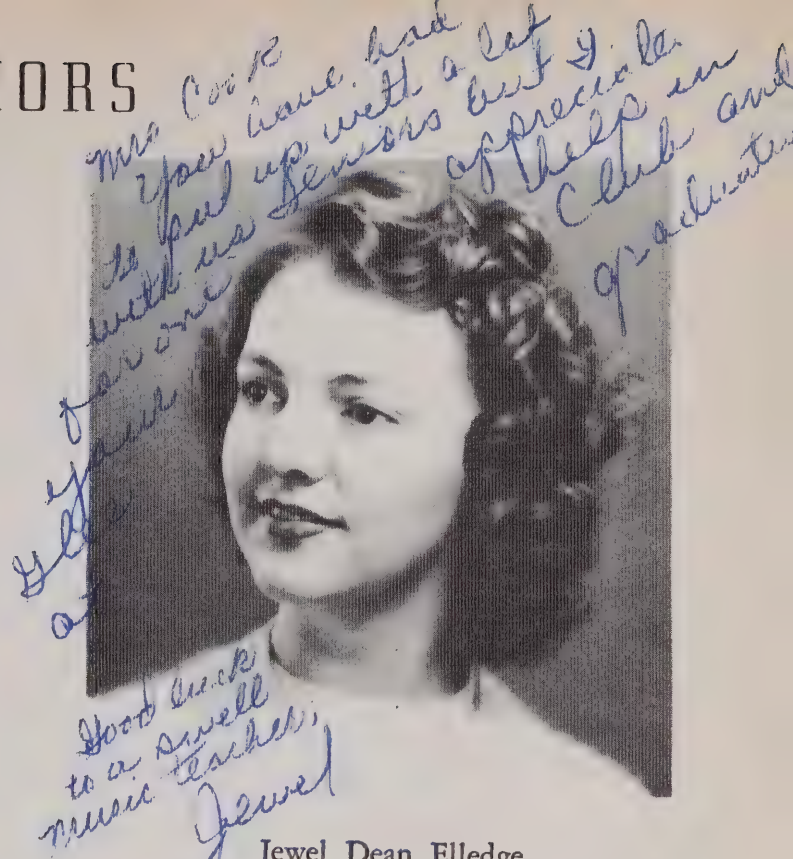


Billy Gray Nixon
Journalism 4; Glee Club 4; Dramatics 3.

SENIORS



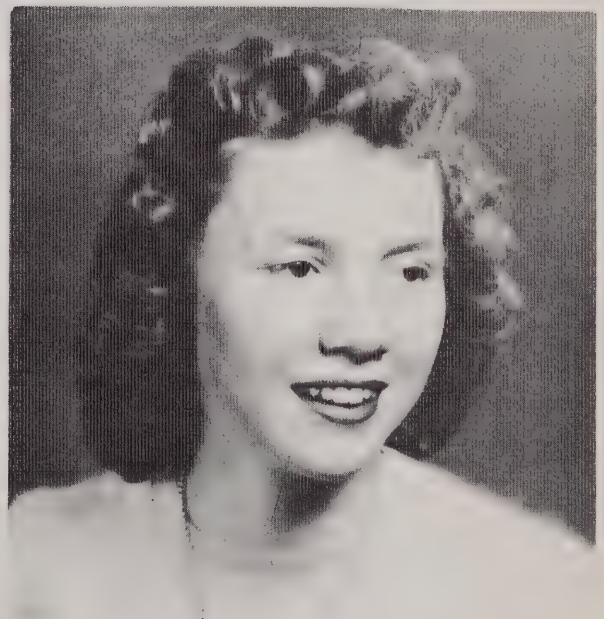
William Tanner Skidmore
Basketball 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Dramatic 3; Monogram Club 3, 4; Social Dance Club 4.



Jewel Dean Elledge
Glee Club 3, 4; Dramatic Club 3;
Monogram 4; Basketball 3; Social Dance
Club 4; Hall Monitor 4.



Mary Alice Riech
Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 3, 4;
Social Dancing 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4;
Band 4; F. H. A. Club 2; Music Club 4;
Driving 3.



Martha Mae Riech
Dramatic Club, Secretary 3, 4; Glee
Club 2, 3, 4; Social Dancing 4; Beta Club
3, 4; Band 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Driving
Club 3; Annual Staff 4; Music Club
4; F. H. A. Club 2.

SENIORS



I can never
sub into words
for appreciation
in what you have
done for me. So I'd
just say "Thanks & Well done!"
Best of Luck + Success!
Always,
Bettie

Bettie Ann Carroll

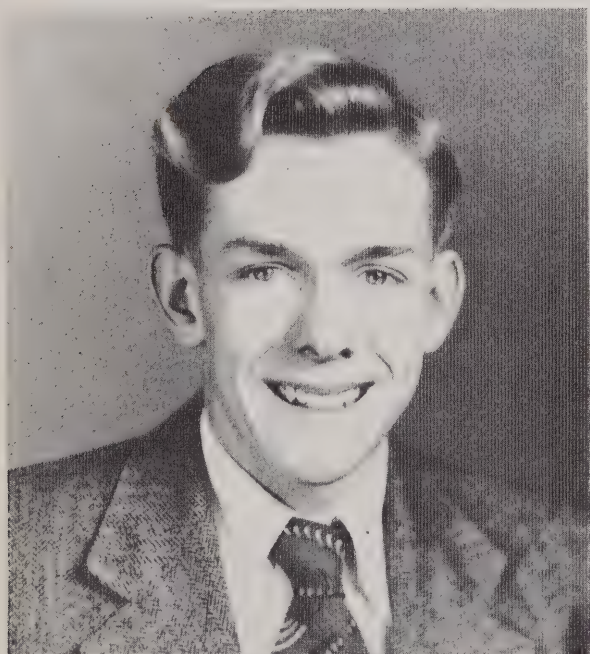
Beta Club 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3;
Journalism 2; Dancing Club 3.



You will never
know how
much I have
enjoyed
knowing
you and
knowing you
as a teacher.
I am sure that
the Harrisonville
High School will
enjoy having you
with you just as
we have. Best
wishes and good
luck in your
journey go!
Sincerely,
J.C.

John Clayton Johnson, Jr.

Basketball 2, 3; Football 3, 4; Base-
ball 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4;
Student Council 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4;
Music Club 4; 4-H Club President 2;
Junior Marshal 3; Social Dance 4.



Charles Mack Matthews

Glee Club 2, 3; Science Club 3, 4;
Social Dance 4; Substitute Bus Driver 3, 4.



Peggy Jean Ragsdale

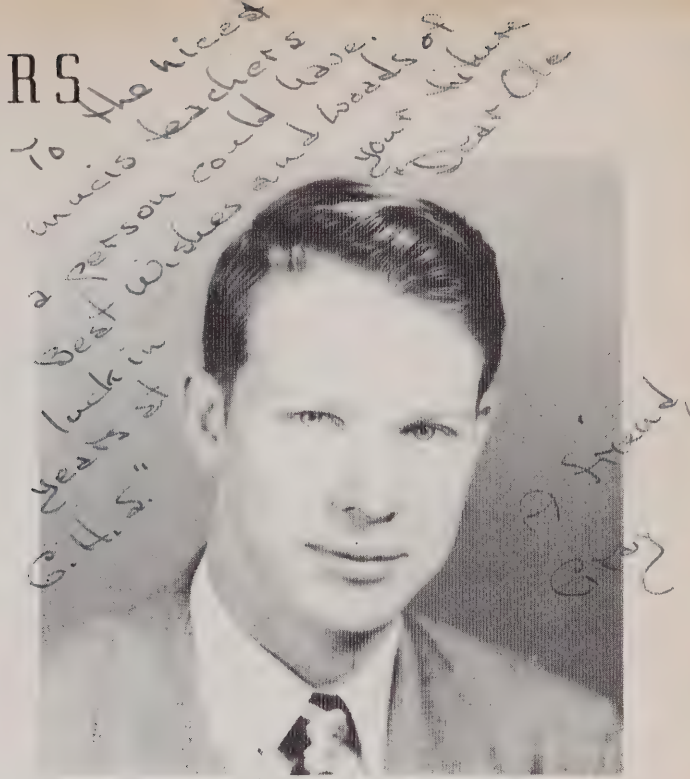
Glee Club 2, 3; Annual Staff 3, 4;
Journalism Club 4; Dramatics 3.

SENIORS



Naomi Ruth Miller

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, Treasurer 4; Journalism 3; Annual Staff 3; Softball 1, 3, 4; Social Dance, Vice President 4; Music Club 4.



Talton Gray Elliott

Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Journalism 4; Student Council 4; Personal Relations Committee 4.



John William Ensore

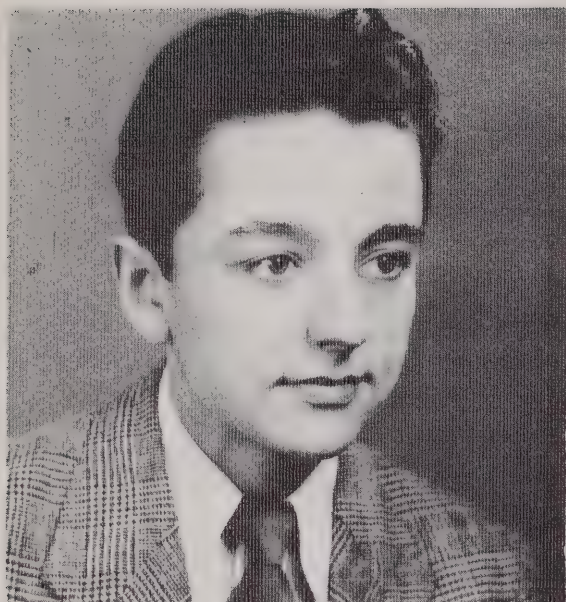
Glee Club 2; Business Club 4; Science Club 4.



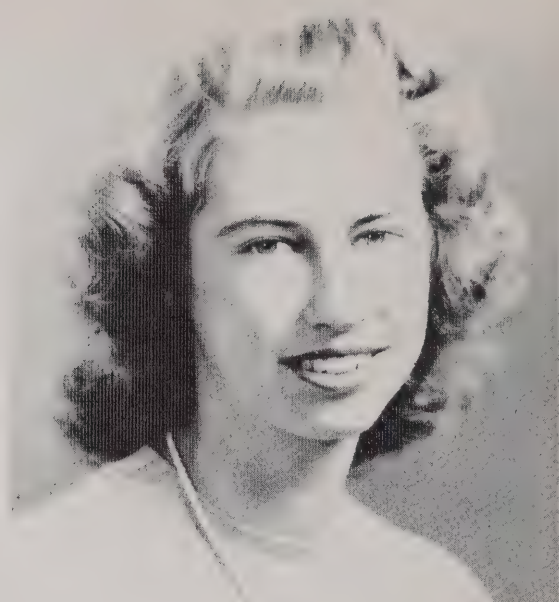
Peggy Wynell Jenkins

Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Beta Club 3, 4; Student Council 3; Folk Dance Club 4.

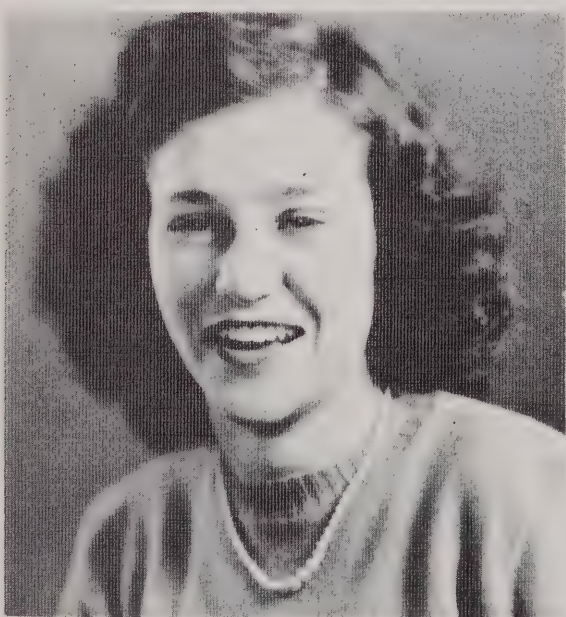
SENIORS



Allen Longworth Harrison
Social Dance Club 4; Dramatics Club 3.



Joan Smith
Business Club 3; Drivers Club 4; Glee
Club 2.



Elva Mae Teague
Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Drivers Club 4;
Business Club 3.



Dallas Kimel Shields
Basketball 3, 4; Football 4; Science
Club 3; Monogram Club 3, 4; Folk Dance
Club Secretary 4.

SENIORS



*Best of
luck to
a very
nice friend
clayton
Miller*



Marjorie Ruth Pope

Glee Club 1; Business Club 3; Folk
Dance Club 4; F. H. A. Club 4.

Clayton Carroll Miller

Football 3, 4; Driving Club 3; Science
Club 3; Monogram Club 3, 4; Basketball
3; Folk Dance Club President 4; Mono-
gram Club Reporter 3.



Wilma Leigh Fishel

Glee Club 3, 4; Reporter Folk Dance
Club 4; F. H. A. Club 4; Journalism
Club 3.



Ollie Elizabeth Spach

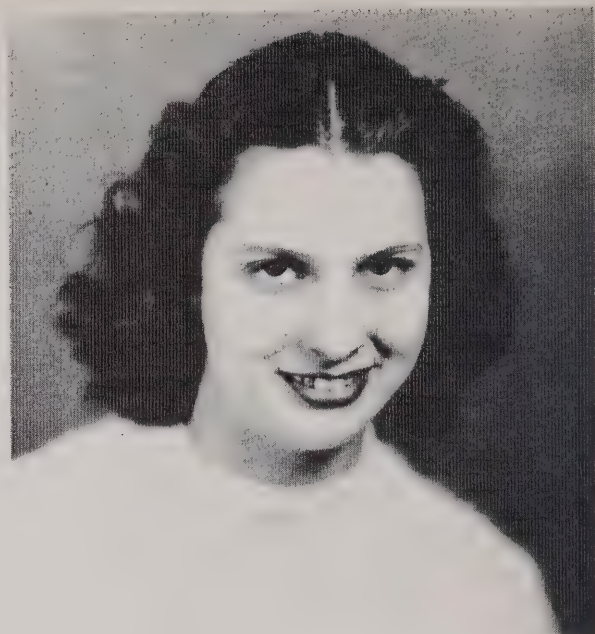
Glee Club 1; Business Club 3; Folk
Dance Club 4; F. H. A. Club 4.

SENIORS



Colleen Ann Black

Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Science Club 4;
Business Club 3; 4-H Club 1, 2; Social
Dance Club 4; Library Staff 4.



Ruby Jean Black

Glee Club 2, 3; Business Club 3;
Science Club 4; Social Dance Club 4;
4-H Club 1, 2.



Melba Sue Burgess

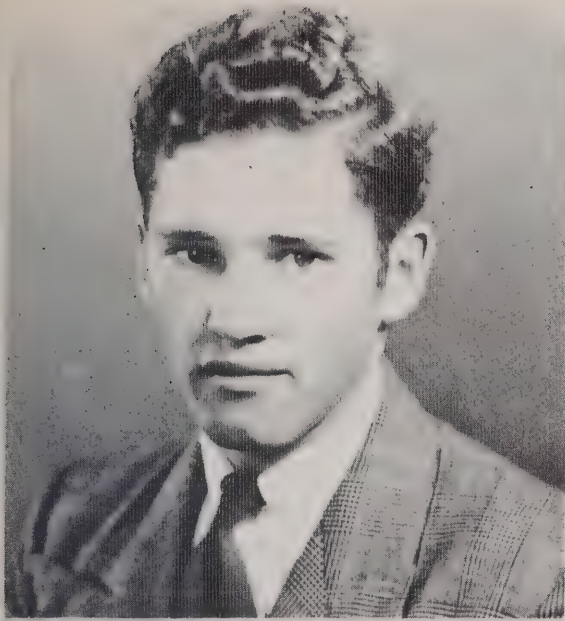
Glee Club 2, 4; Science Club 4; Social
Dance 4; Beta Club 3, 4; Business Club 3.



Mildred Sue Skidmore

Basketball 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4;
Monogram Club 3, 4; Music Club 4; Folk
Dance 4; Dramatics Club 3.

SENIORS



Dewey Manuel Black

Football 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Junior Marshal 3; Science Club 3; Business Club 4; Social Dance Club 4.



Nancy Ruth Foltz

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Folk Dancing Club 4; Monogram 3, 4.



Jessie Aliene Swaim

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Journalism 4; 4-H Club 1, 2; Social Dancing 4; Music Club 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 3, 4.



Roger Eugene Sides

Science Club 3; Business Club 4; Baseball 2.

SENIORS

*not wish
a friend who
helped in so very
much - I wish
you much
family - and when I come
back to Suffolk I
hope to always
see you
Maxine*

*Best wishes
and may you have
a wonderful life
soon
and that*



Maxine Ada Thomas

Glee Club 2, 4; Dramatics Club 3;
Social Dancing 4; Junior Marshal 3; Jour-
nalism Club 4; 4-H Club 1, 2; Library
Staff 4.



Thomas Denver Everhart

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3;
Football 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Class
Secretary 3; Glee Club 2, 3; Social Dance
Club 4; Class Lawyer 4; Bus Driver 4.

*Best of luck to a swell Maxine
Teacher!
Tommy Allen*

*I have enjoyed
having you as
one of my teachers
and best of luck always!
Peggy*



Thomas Walter Allen

Basketball 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Base-
ball 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4;
Folk Dance Club 4; Glee Club 4; Glee
Club 2; 4-H Club 1, 2.



Peggy Lou Faircloth

Junior Marshal 3; Glee Club 2, 3, 4;
Monogram Club 3; Music Club 4; Social
Dancing 4; Basketball 2.

SENIORS



Geneva Ann Ragsdale
Journalism Club 3; Glee Club 2, 3;
Safe Drivers Club 4; French Club 3.



Nancy Ann Doub
Beta Club 3, 4; Glee Club 2; Journal-
ism Club 3; Safe Drivers Club 4; French
Club 3.

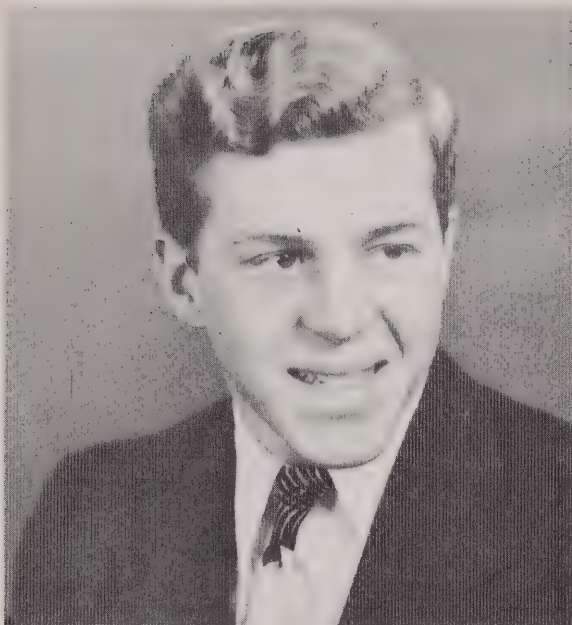


Mary Alice Wilson
Glee Club 2; Business Club 3; Safe
Driving Club 4.



Patsy Ruth Connell
Beta Club 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3; Safe
Driving Club 4; Business Club 3.

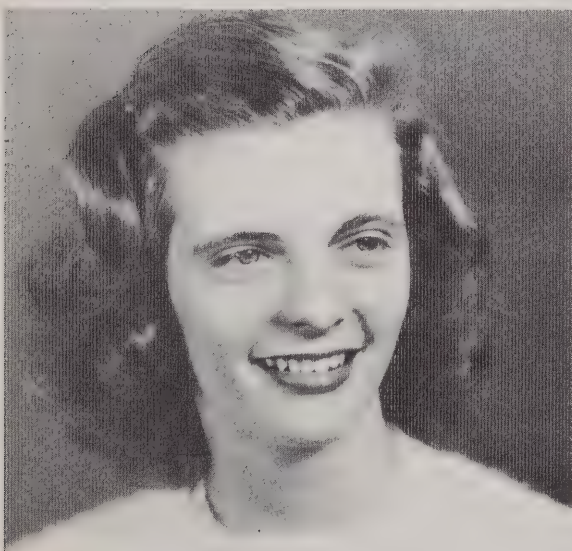
SENIORS



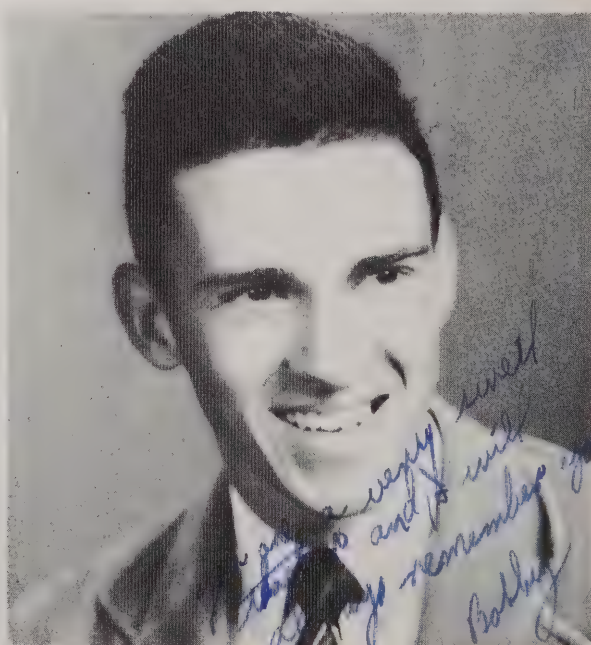
Kennon Everette Blackwelder
Driving Club 3; Dramatic Club 3;
Dancing Club 4; Football 3, 4; Baseball
3, 4; Basketball 3; Monogram 3, 4.



June Alene Johnson
Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 3; Jour-
nalism Club 3, 4; Newspaper Staff 3, 4;
Science Club 1; Dancing Club 4; Music
Club 4.



Nancy Elaine Hayes
Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Secretary
3, Treasurer 4; French Club President
3, Vice President 4; Hall Monitor 4;
Class Treasurer 1; Class Secretary 2;
Social Dance Club Secretary 4; 4-H Club
1, 2.

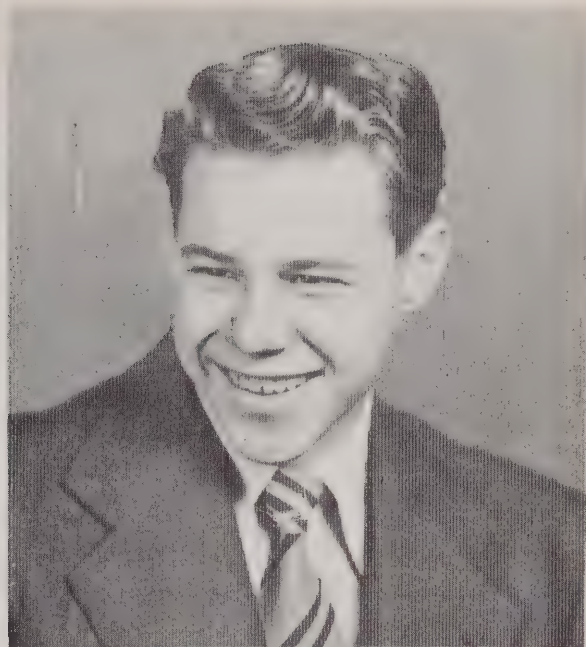


Robert Glenn Reeves, Jr.
Football 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Mono-
gram President 3, 4; Dancing Club 4;
Music Club 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Junior
Marshal 3.

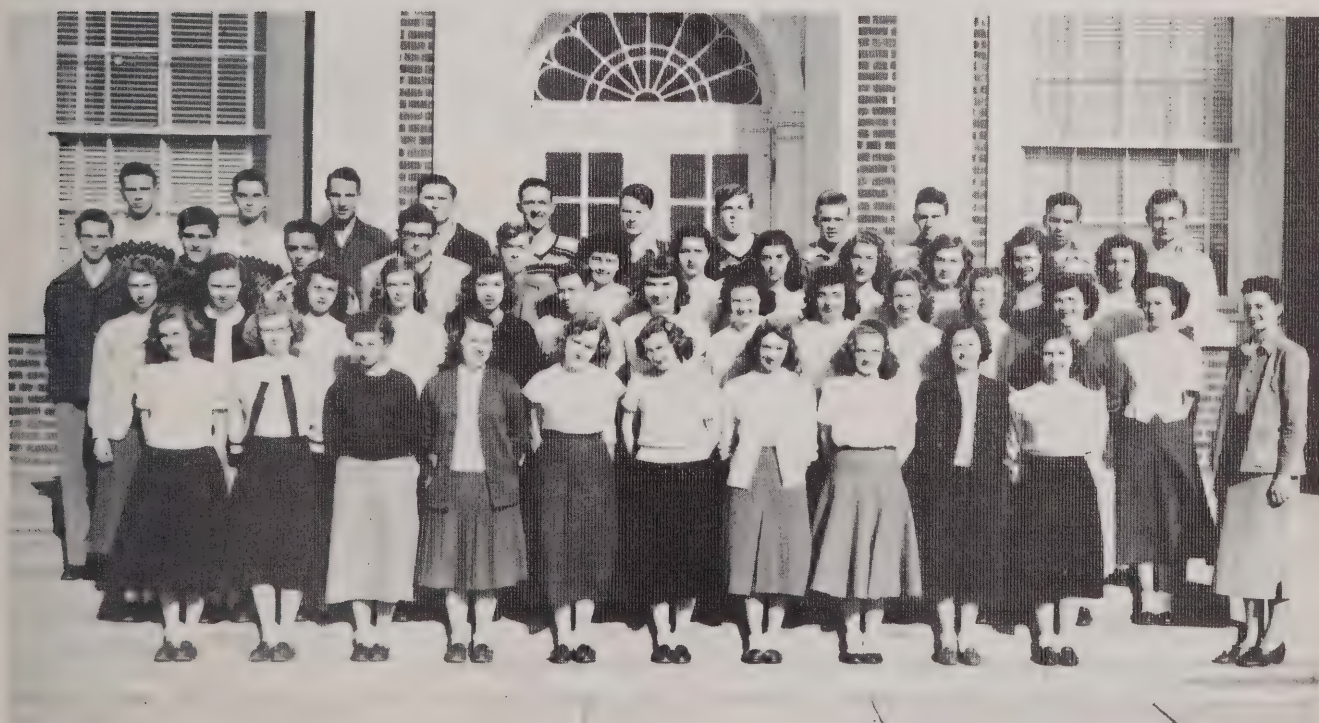
SENIORS



Henry Samuel Hine
Science Club 3; Bus Driver 4; Social
Club 4.



Jimmy Willis Moore
Science Club 3; Vice President of Class
3; Bus Driver 3, 4; Journalism Club 4.



MASCOTS



Jeanette Tribolet



Larry Foltz

CLASS DAY OFFICERS

HISTORIAN—NANCY HAYES

PROPHET—BILL NIXON

LAWER—TOMMY EVERHART

POET—NANCY DICKERSON

GIFTORIANS:

MAXINE THOMAS

CLAYTON MILLER

CLASS MOTTO:

To the Stars Through Difficulty

CLASS COLORS:

Green and White

CLASS FLOWER:

Gardenia

CLASS HISTORY

It was May, 1949, the graduating class of Griffith School had entered a float in the Centennial Parade. There were 20 of us upon it dressed in the costumes of a hundred years ago, pantaloons and high button shoes. As we started down Fourth Street, I felt by braids being put into an ink well and as I started up, I felt myself falling, and the next thing I knew, I was a Freshman entering High School.

The year was 1945. Our classes were divided, the girls with Miss McCaulet, the boys with Mr. Snapp.

Soon after we were settled into the daily routine of school life we elected our officers for the year. They were: President, Dorothy Tucker; Secretary, Vernelle Stanley; and Treasurer, Nancy Hayes.

The next year found us Sophomores. Our school life was well-rounded with much hard work set off by many good times. We took several trips, our best time perhaps at Roaring Gap. Our officers for the year were: President, Vernelle Stanley; Secretary, Nancy Hayes; and Treasurer, Annie Spagh.

When in 1947 we became Juniors, we felt we were indeed in the midst of the stars. We had splendid times that year. We even had individual pictures in the annual. We had the Junior-Senior Banquet at the Patio in May, soon to be followed by a formal return party given by the Seniors in the school gymnasium. Again we took various trips and had many parties. We chose leaders of our class who were: President, Vernelle Stanley; Secretary, Tommy Everhart; and Treasurer, Bobbie Brown.

Seniors! We all returned to Griffith in the fall of 1948, knowing regretfully that it would be our last year at our Alma Mater. What a splendid year this, our last one, was. Our officers, elected at the close of the previous year were: President, Jack Moorefield; Secretary, Vernelle Stanley; and Treasurer, Bobbie Brown.

We went to the inauguration of Governor Scott in Raleigh. We won a holiday by giving the most money on the activity bus fund. We had parties, dances and many other good times to brighten our Senior year.

Our Junior-Senior Banquet was held in the big ball room of the Robert E. Lee in April.

This year marked a great event in the lives of us all. It was Forsyth County's Centennial year, and the Senior boys grew beards along with the rest of the men in the county. We entered a float in the parade on May 12th, showing the inside of a school room in 1849. We also published a pamphlet on the history of the schools of Forsyth County.

We have had wonderful times here for the past twelve years, but now the time has come when a fond farewell must be made to dear old Griffith High School. We are leaving with mingled regrets of happiness and sorrow for the memories of these past years will always be held pleasantly in our hearts.

Having been lifted upon the float, I came to, with the reality that graduation will soon descend upon us, when in white caps and gowns we receive our diplomas and make our departure. We will no longer be students of Griffith High School, but students of the universe.

NANCY HAYES.

PROPHECY

The Senior Class decided to take a trip to California, since they were the Class of '49 and therefore thought the title "forty-niners" would fit in nicely. Early in the summer, all the Seniors set out in a covered wagon. Everyone was overjoyed with the trip and enjoyed the scenes along the way.

As we were crossing the vast desert in Nevada, we happened to come across a band of Gypsies. There was one old Gypsy in the band who claimed to be very skilled in telling fortunes. Immediately all of us began asking her to tell our fortunes. She readily agreed but refused to dip into the future beyond the year of '59.

She gazed into the crystal ball and told us the following:

Tommy Allen has finally talked Ruth Gray's father into letting him have her. Ruth is rocking a bald-headed baby to sleep while Tommy is making eyes at some other blond.

Kennon has retired as a football star from Mars Hill College and settled down to comfort his loving wife, June Johnson.

Gray "Einstein" Elliott is steadily employed at Chapel Hill as a professor of all general knowledge.

Allen "Bird-Legs" Harrison is setting on a nest of parrot eggs.

Colleen Black Ruby Black, and Melba Burgess are all working at Gibson's Ice Cream Parlor under the supervision of Maxine Thomas.

"Jake" Johnson is now owner and manager of a rabbit farm. He is in fur up to his neck.

Mack Matthews has lost his job in the lunch room and is now a street cleaner.

Dewey Black is general owner and manager of Silver's Grocery Department.

Jessie is a big time operator with a still on every hill in Yadkin County.

Tommy Everhart has been recognized as the second Babe Ruth of Griffith School. He has a total of 94 home runs out of 95 times at bat.

Bobby Reeves and Nancy Hayes are still "feudin', fussin', and fightin'." No one knows whether they will get married or not.

As the crystal ball began to change colors we saw Lib Spach and Marjorie Pope in New York modeling for a fashion designer.

Jimmy Moore is a Rear Admiral in the Navy.

Bill Ensore is still going to Griffith School trying to get his diploma.

Bettie Ann Carroll is teaching the first grade at Arcadia High.

Ruth Foltz and Ruth Miller are playing professional basketball for Hanes Hosiery.

Bill Skidmore has taken over his father's job of driving the bus for the Cardinals.

PROPHECY

(Continued)

Mary and Martha Reich are still milking cows down on the farm waiting for the day when two good looking twin boys will come along to marry them.

Sue Skidmore is flirting with the interns at Baptist Hospital. I think she is struck on the idea of having a doctor for a husband.

Dallas Shields still won't give Barbara Holcomb a date. What's wrong, Dallas?

Peggy Knouse finally accepted Fred's diamond and they are now happily married.

Joan Smith and Elva Teague are now working for some rich old man as stenographers.

The crystal ball started to glow a bright red and then suddenly turned to a dark cast when she said she saw Peggy Jenkins down on the farm—pushing little baby chicks in the water.

Roger Sides is making a fortune baby sitting.

Nancy Dickerson is a hair designer at the high class Konnoak Hills Beauty Parlor.

Wilma Fishel is having a hard time trying to keep Jack Moorefield away since she is married.

Mary Alice Wilson is general manager of F. W. Woolworth's.

Nancy Doub is floor-walker at Kress' five and dime store.

Clayton Miller is beating his brains out auctioneering tobacco.

Peggy Faircloth has a contract with Howard Hughes, that well known "zillionaire" of California.

Norma Hartman has taken Lois Lane's place as a reporter for the Daily Planet.

Peggy Ragsdale is now living happily in a little four room cottage since her marriage in 1950.

Jewel Elledge has changed her cloth coat for a mink, a Salisbury Road address for Beverly Hills, but there is still the same long string of male admirers.

Harold just came down to breakfast to find the telephone ringing, both kids crying and his wife, the former Vernelle Stanley wringing her hands because she had just burnt his toast. Life gets teejus!

Patsy Connell hasn't gained a pound—busy gal, how could she between keeping up with her "Tripplettes" and appearing at Carnegie Hall, accompanying her Tripplette?

PROPHECY

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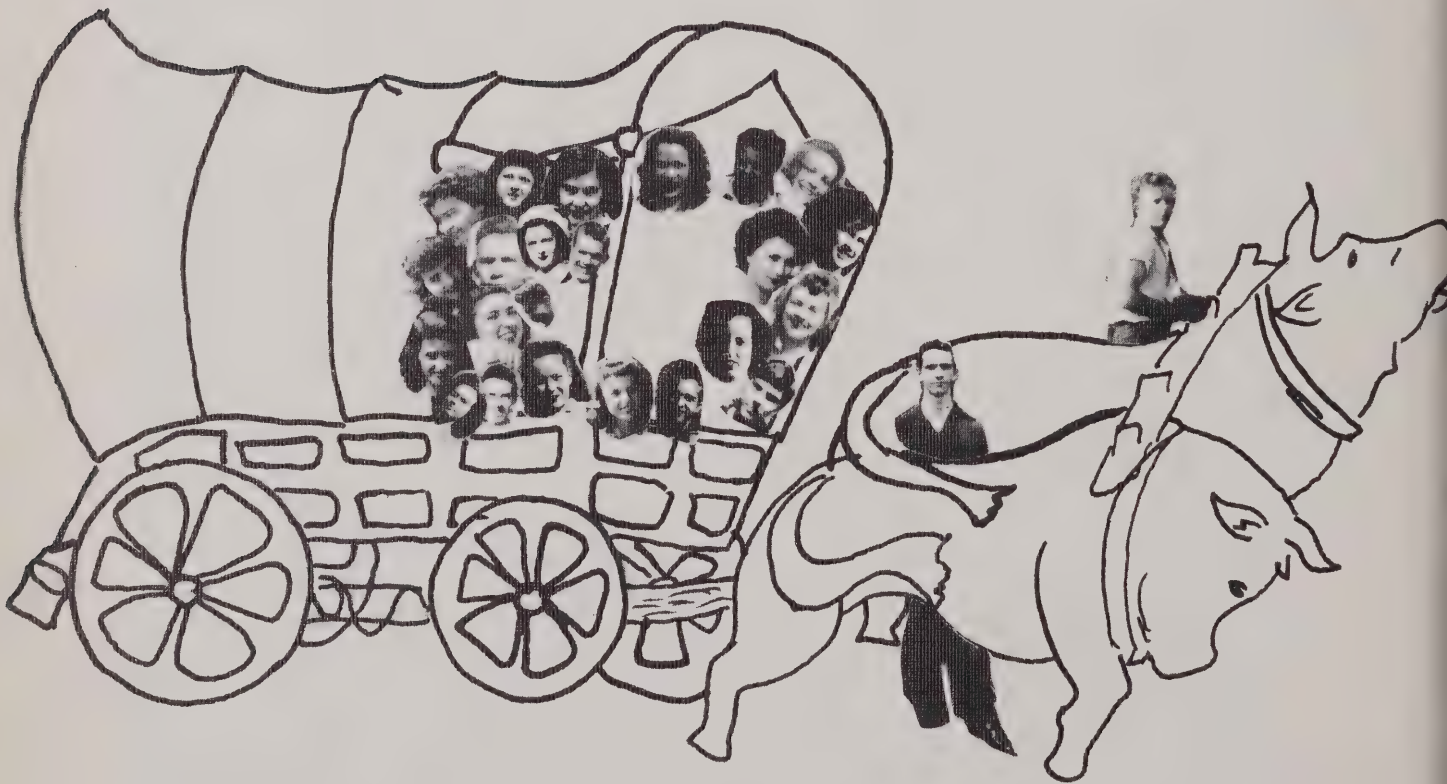
Geneva Ragsdale is prospering as the manager of Imperial Insurance Co., now covering the twelfth floor of the Nissen Building.

Charlie Rierson was found flat on his back under a 1934 Ford in a service station on the corner of Konnoak Drive and Clemmons ville Road. Bobbie was standing on the steps of the house across the road yelling for him to come to dinner.

Just as she was about to tell my fortune, the crystal ball glowed with a peculiar green color, whirled around and around, then blew up—right in her face!

After assuring ourselves that our Gypsy friend was unharmed, we thanked her and continued our journey to California.

BILL NIXON.



LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the Senior Class of 1949, of Griffith High School in fifty distinct parts, boasting of our great mental strength and our physical fitness that would put Einstein and Atlas to shame, do hereby dispose of our priceless possessions as designated in this, our Last Will and Testament.

To our principal, we extend sincere appreciation for his continuous interest, enthusiasm and assistance throughout our High School careers.

To the members of the faculty we leave our deepest gratitude for their unceasing efforts in trying to pound knowledge into blockheads.

And to the Junior Class, we leave our most priceless possessions, our ability to get along with the student body, and we hope they will use this as we have.

Charlie Rierison wills his "squirrel barking" and other nonsense to John McDaniel.

Ruth Foltz wills about forty pounds to Betty Brewer.

Kennon Blackwelder and June Johnson will their theme song, "Feudin', Fussin', and Fightin'," to Bill Coulter and Fay Knouse.

Jimmy Moore wills his wings, jet propelled car, and nine lives, also a collection of speed tickets to Ace Williard.

The Senior bus drivers leave all eight buses to C. P. Mahaffey.

Sam Hine wills his ability to break girls' hearts to Charles Fishel.

Jack Moorefield leaves his dark wavy hair to Bill Dunnagan.

Tommy Allen leaves, what once was Ruth Gray's heart, to Bill Cromer.

Ruth Miller leaves her ability to play basketball to Betty Alexander.

Jewel Elledge leaves her shape to Betty Smith.

Bobbie Brown wills her intelligence to Bill Grubbs.

Jessie Swaim wills her home town of Booneville to anyone that will take it.

Gray Elliott wills his dreamy, starry eyes to Max Jones.

J. C. Johnson wills his chain of girls to Clifton Berrier.

Bill Nixon wills his "Best All Around" position to Bobby Spangler.

Dallas "Shaky" Shields wills his shake to Bill Hege.

Peggy Knouse wills her position as Glee Club accompanist to her baby sister, Fay.

Allen Harrison wills his beautiful legs to Barbara Chiddie.

Mack Matthews wills his ability to finish school to Red Ebert.

Bill Enscoe wills his laziness to Roy Brown.

Roger Sides wills his "Biggest Baby" position to Sonny Gobble.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

(Continued)

Peggy Faircloth wills her way with the boys to Hilda Gentry.

Dewey Black wills Silvers 5 & 10 cents store to Charles Mahaffey.

Clayton Miller wills his auctioneering talent to James Pope.

Bill Skidmore wills about forty pounds of lard to the lunch room.

Colleen and Ruby Black will Gibson's Ice Cream Company to Ann Kiger.

Tommy Everhart wills all his French knowledge to Sharon Cottrell.

Wilma Fishel leaves her beautiful red hair to Etta Boles.

Patsy Connell wills her quietness to Barbara Smith.

Bettie Ann Carroll wills her eagerness to finish school to Patsy Patterson.

Marjorie Pope and Elizabeth Spach got together and wish to will Mr. Nelson back to High Point College if they'll take him back.

Norma Hartman wills her conceit to Joan Long; about time for her to get rid of it.

Nancy Dickerson wills her everlasting title "The Cutest" to Jackie Snyder.

Nancy Doub wills her working ability to Marie Johnson.

Martha Reich wills her flirting ability to Barbara Beale.

Mary Reich wills her giggles to Ann Long.

Peggy Jenkins wills her ability to get along with other people to Nancy Cockerham.

Geneva Ragsdale wills her good times in the typing class to June Eller.

Maxine Thomas wills Bill Grubbs to Katie Granger.

Peggy Ragsdale wills all her boy friends except one to Mary Ellen Manning.

Sue Skidmore would like to give Miss Lewis a few pounds of her weight.

Joan Smith wills her ability to do without boys to any poor girl that wants to try it.

Vernelle Stanley wills her Cheerleading position to Betty Hill.

Mary Alice Wilson wills her shortness to Connie Smith.

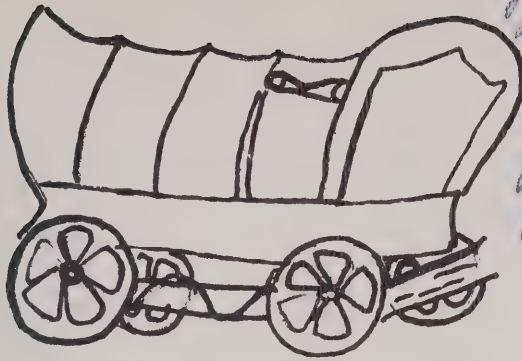
Elva Teague wills her looks to Mildred Bristow.

Melba Burgess wills her Beta Club membership to Jimmy Tesh.

Bobby Reeves and Nancy Hayes will their trips in their old "A" Model to Don Hunter.

In witness thereof, we, the Senior Class, do affix our seal this fifteenth day of June, one thousand, nine hundred and forty-nine.

TOMMY EVERHART, *Testator*.



You have been such a help to me, and I will certainly miss our "little chats" next year. I am sure with your ability and likable disposition you can and will make a great success at your new position. Don't forget me, please.

Green

GRADUATION

Soon June will come, and we must go;
We're leaving the halls of our youth
Burdened with all the ideas we know,
In darkness, to search for the truth.

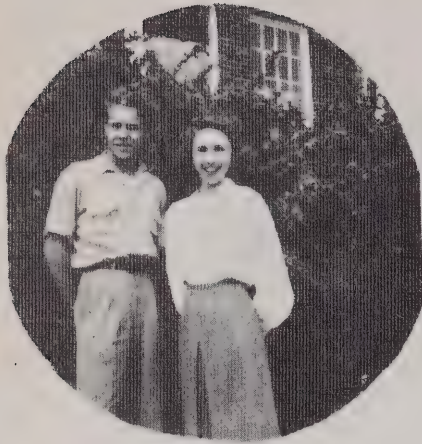
Our songs are sung, the parting nears,
We face the world; each alone.
Will we forget in later years
The goal we have set for our own?

No: Let us remember always,
When surmounting our common bars
As we go our separate ways:
"Through Difficulty to the Stars."

NANCY DICKERSON.



SUPER



Most Likely to Succeed
Peggy Knouse - Jimmy Moore



Cutest
Nancy Dickerson - Bobby Reeves



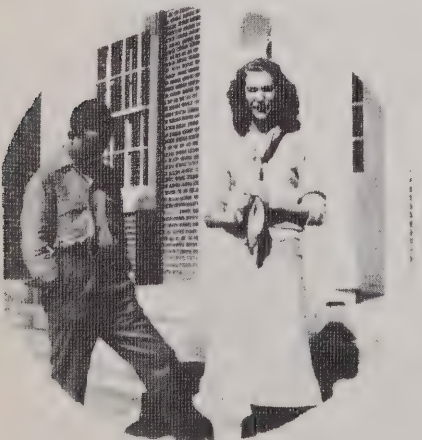
Most Fickle
Jessie Swaim - J.C. Johnson



Biggest Heartbreakers
Ruth Foltz - Jack Moorefield



Most Studious
Betty Carroll - Tommy E.



Wittiest
Charlie Riersow - Margie Pope



Most Optimistic
Ruth Foltz - Bobby Reeves

LATIVES



Best-looking
June Johnson - Jack Moorefield



Best All Around
Vernelle S. - Bill Nixon



Best Dressed
J.C. Johnson - Nancy Dickerson



Most Athletic
Tommy Allen - Ruth Miller



Most Conceited
J.C. Johnson - Norma Hartman



Most Popular
Ruth Miller - Bill Skidmore



Biggest Baby
Jessie Swaim - Roger Sides

the best of luck to you,
 helpful neighbor, friend &
 teacher. The Best!
 Clifton Snyder

AUTOGRAPHS

The best of luck to a
 small music teacher.
 Charles Maloff

Mrs. Cook,
 at last I have been able to leave and
 leaving you for a Blue Club teacher, you
 never know how I will miss you next
 year. Always remember me and I'll never
 forget you.

Mrs. Cook,
 It has been a pleasure for me
 to have been in your Blue Club
 for the past two years.
 John.

I have enjoyed the
 Blue Club this year and
 I hope it was a chance
 for you some day next
 year. "Ade"

Best of luck
 to one of the
 best music teachers
 Griffith has ever had!
 Ruth Jones

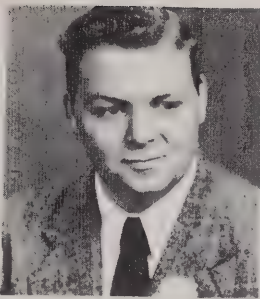
I'm sorry that I did
 not join your Blue
 Club this year, but
 I have learned much
 by practicing in the
 Junior Blue Club.
 Nancy & wife

Mrs. Cook
 you don't know how
 much we are going
 to miss you next year.
 I wish you could in
 the future come in
 Bill Jones

JUNIORS



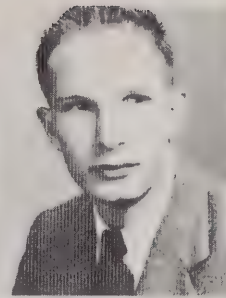
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Vice President



R. Isaacs
Secretary



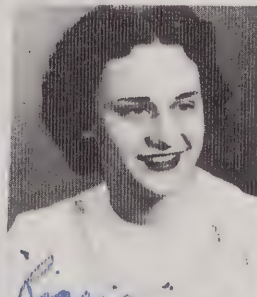
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Secretary



J. Snyder
Treasurer

J. Snyder

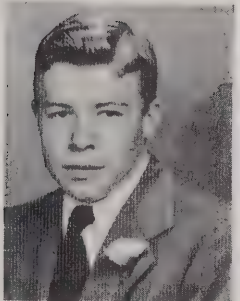
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Clyde
Clarice
Jimmy W.



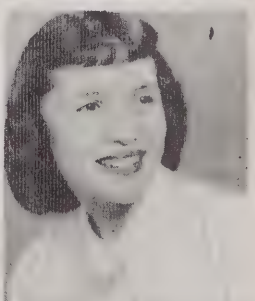
Clarice



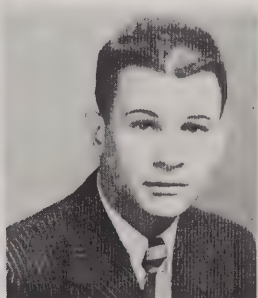
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Bettie P.
Charles P.
Bettie A.



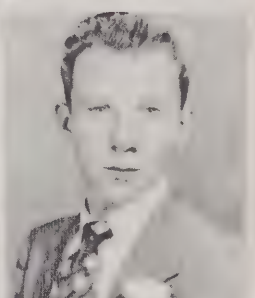
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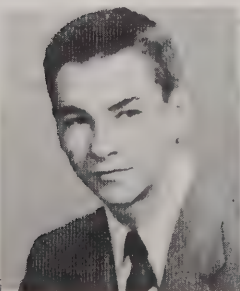
Louise
Bill G.
Jacqueline
Durward



Jacqueline



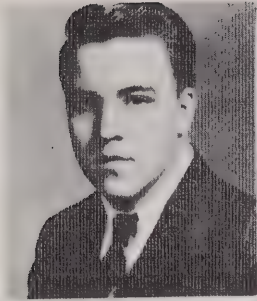
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Etta
Bobby
Barbara C.



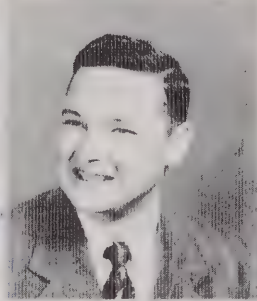
Barbara C.

*My list of
Juniors
Hilda*

JUNIORS



J. C.
Hilda
Virgil
Betty S.

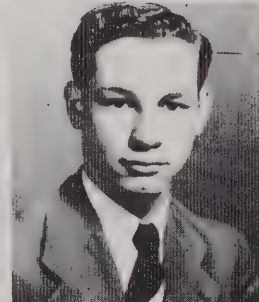


Mildred
Vance
Cigaretta
Alvin

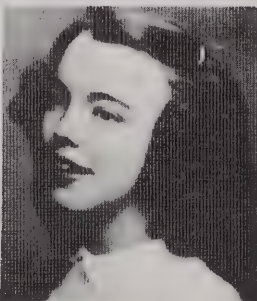


C. P.
Mary
John
Nadine

*She
has
everything
Doris
Jenny*



Doris T.
Francis
Jenny
Kenneth



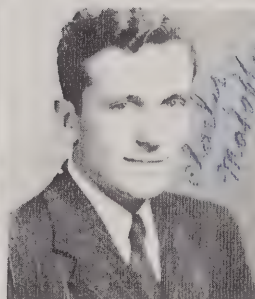
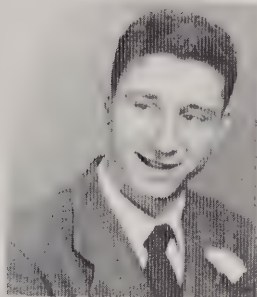
Dorothy
Betty C.

JUNIORS

Adeline
Billy H.
Edith
Hiram



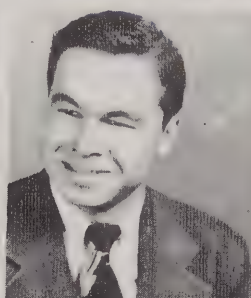
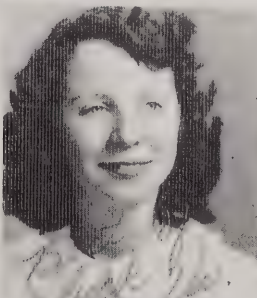
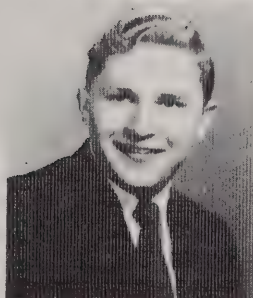
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Doris
Charles M.
Patsy



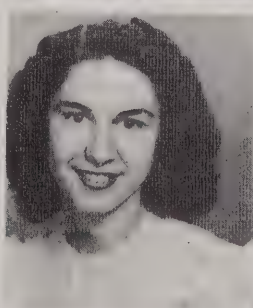
Marie
H. F.
Nancy
Lawrence



Jimmy B.
Virginia
Roy
Erma



Judy
Lavern
Barbara S.
J. O.



*Good of Judy
"Judy"*



Most Intelligent
Ruth Gray-Clifton



Best Dressed
Barbara-Charles



Most Optimistic
Jackie-James



Bill
Clarice
Most Popular

SUPER



Best Looking
Ruth Gray - Charles



Most Likely to Succeed
Jackie - Joe



Cutest
Jimmy - Joan



Most Athletic
Clarice - Bill

LATIVES

*Best of Luck
 to a small
 Blue Club Teacher. I
 have this
 Love
 Barbara
 Geland*



TENTH GRADE—SALMON

*may all the
 luck in the world
 come your way teacher
 you and all your
 from Gloscoe*



TENTH GRADE—NELSON



NINTH GRADE—BENTON



NINTH GRADE—SHUGART

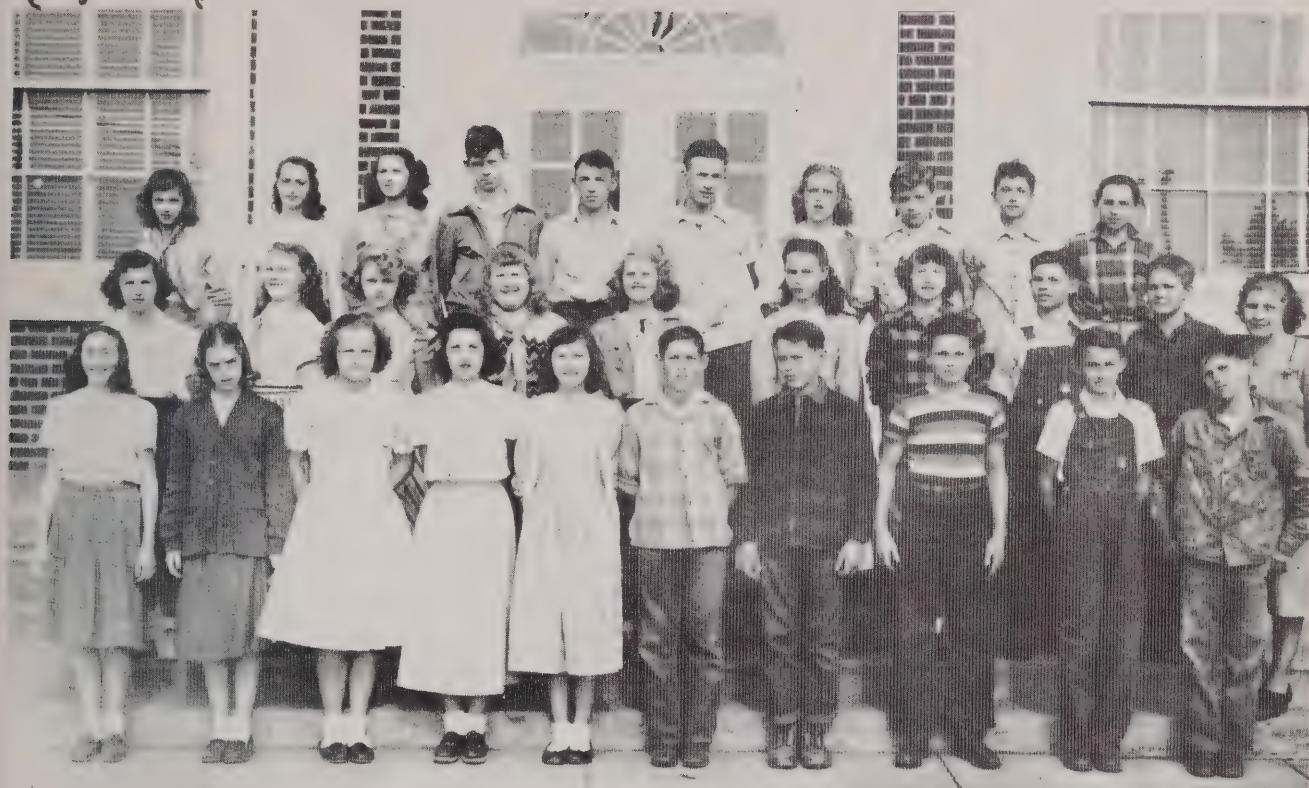


NINTH GRADE—HUNTER



EIGHTH GRADE—EVANS

*Looks of
Luck to be
punch friend
and teacher,
Barbara
Stays*



EIGHTH GRADE—CLINARD



EIGHTH GRADE—BRYANT

ANNUAL

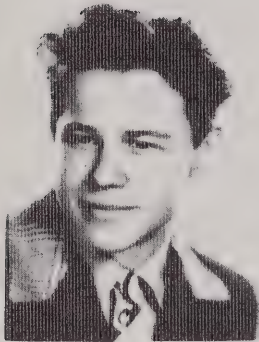
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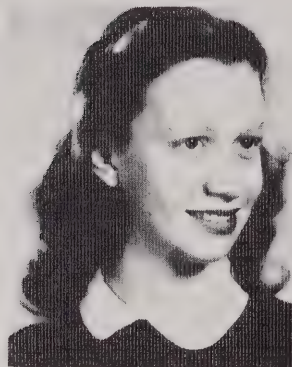
Editor
Norma Hartman

BLUE AND GOLD

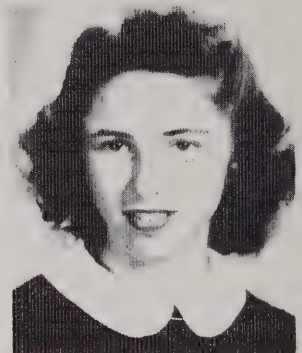
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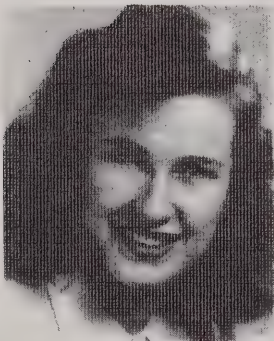
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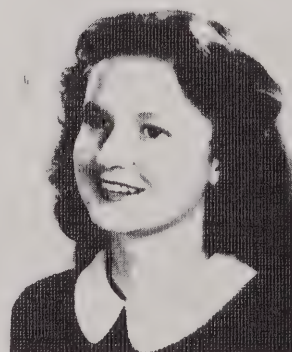
Assembler
Vernelle Stanley



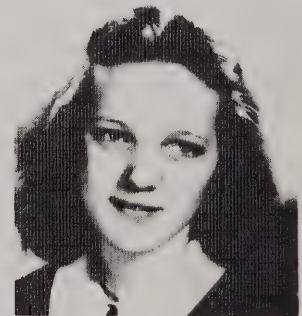
Business Manager
Peggy Knouse



Typist
Peggy Ragsdale



Literary Editor
Nancy Dickerson



Typist
Bobbie Brown



Clara Lloyd

STUDENT COUNCIL

*Miss Cook,
I have enjoyed being
in your club very
much. I hope you can
come back after next year.
Kilma Manning*



BETA CLUB



NEWSPAPER STAFF



LIBRARY STAFF



SENIOR SAFETY PATROL



JUNIOR SAFETY PATROL



SAFE DRIVING CLUB



BUS DRIVERS



F.H.A.



MONOGRAM CLUB



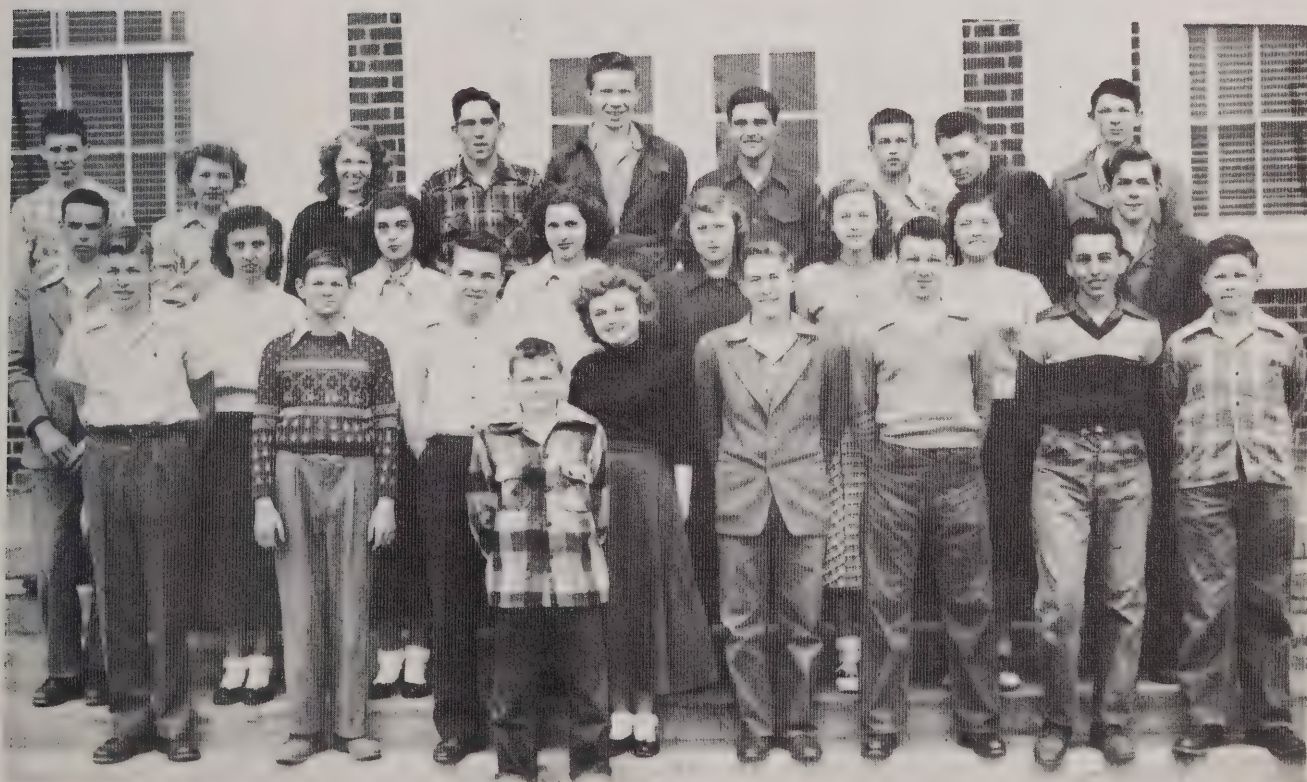
FRENCH CLUB I



FRENCH CLUB II



DRAMATICS CLUB



SCIENCE CLUB



SOCIAL DANCING CLUB



FOLK DANCING CLUB

Well, this music business has its problems - and its joys - doesn't it? And there have been both at Griffith these two years together. Thanks so much for helping me with songs for my fourth grade - and in any other way you could. We'll surely miss you next year - I'll come visit you if I may. Best wishes for a good year and your happiness.

*Sincerely,
Barbara Ogilvie*



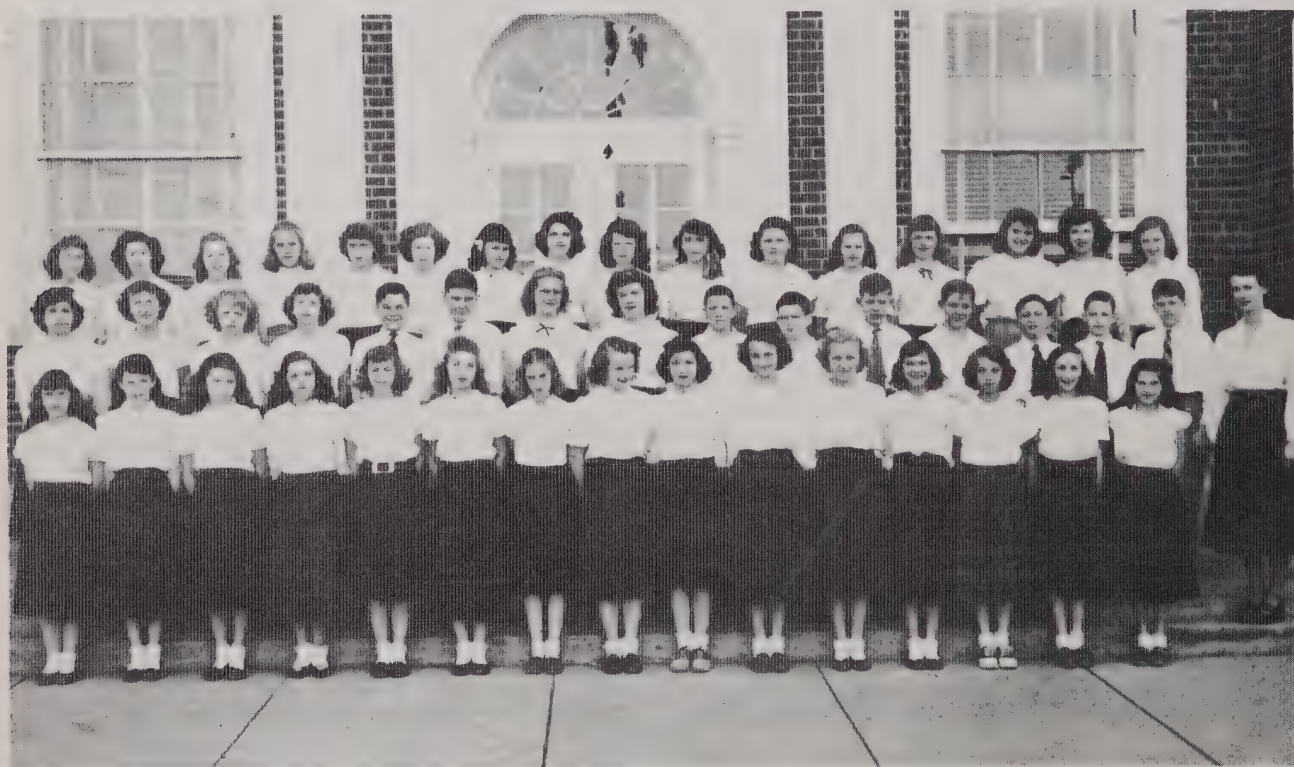
MUSIC CLUB



BAND



FRESHMEN GIRLS CHORUS



ELEMENTARY GLEE CLUB



Mrs. Cook,
I sure have enjoyed
Glee Club this year
and will miss you next year
a hoarse, hoarse
sobout

GLEE CLUB



Mrs. Cook,
I have enjoyed singing
your glee club this
past year, and I think
you have done more for this
glee club than any teacher can do.
I always be as nice & sweet as you

GLEE CLUB

Brantley
Hartmann

Dear Bette,
Just remember me
this way please. I have
enjoyed the club under
you more than I can say
and I'm sure Miss
Lott
says you
naughty

SNAPSHOTS



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VARSITY GIRLS



VARSITY BOYS



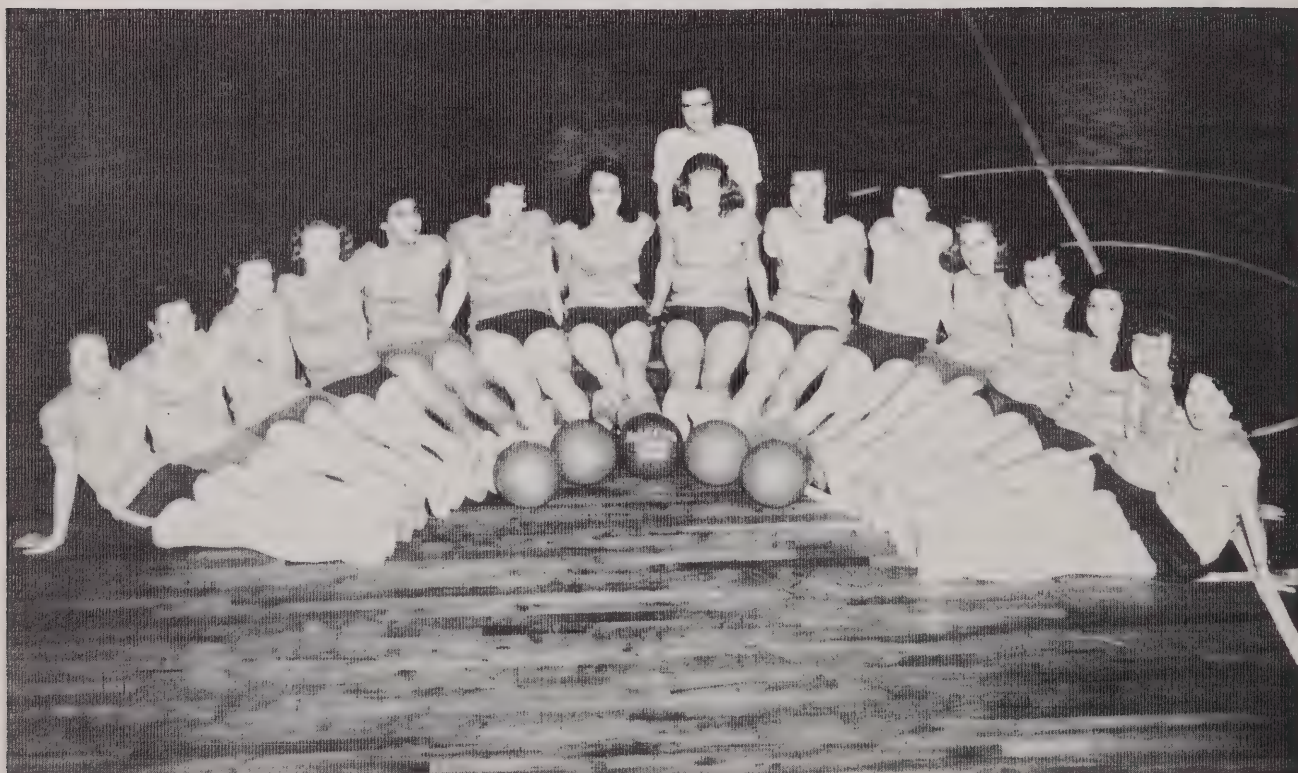
JUNIOR VARSITY GIRLS



JUNIOR VARSITY BOYS



ELEMENTARY BOYS

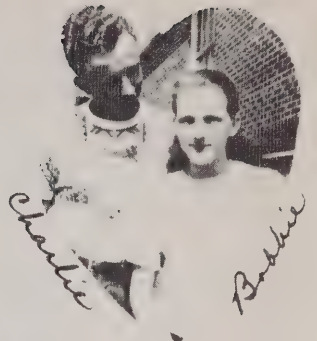


ELEMENTARY GIRLS

Sweethearts



Harold
Pete



Charlie
Bobbie



Peggy
Gred



Charlie
Betty



Norman
Peggy



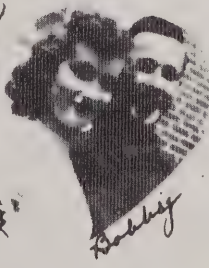
Don
Martha



Paul
Lemon



Pete
Kerna



Bob
Bobbie



Gillman
Hilma



Jackie
Bill



Sam
Bobbie



Ruth
Tommy



Ruth
Charles

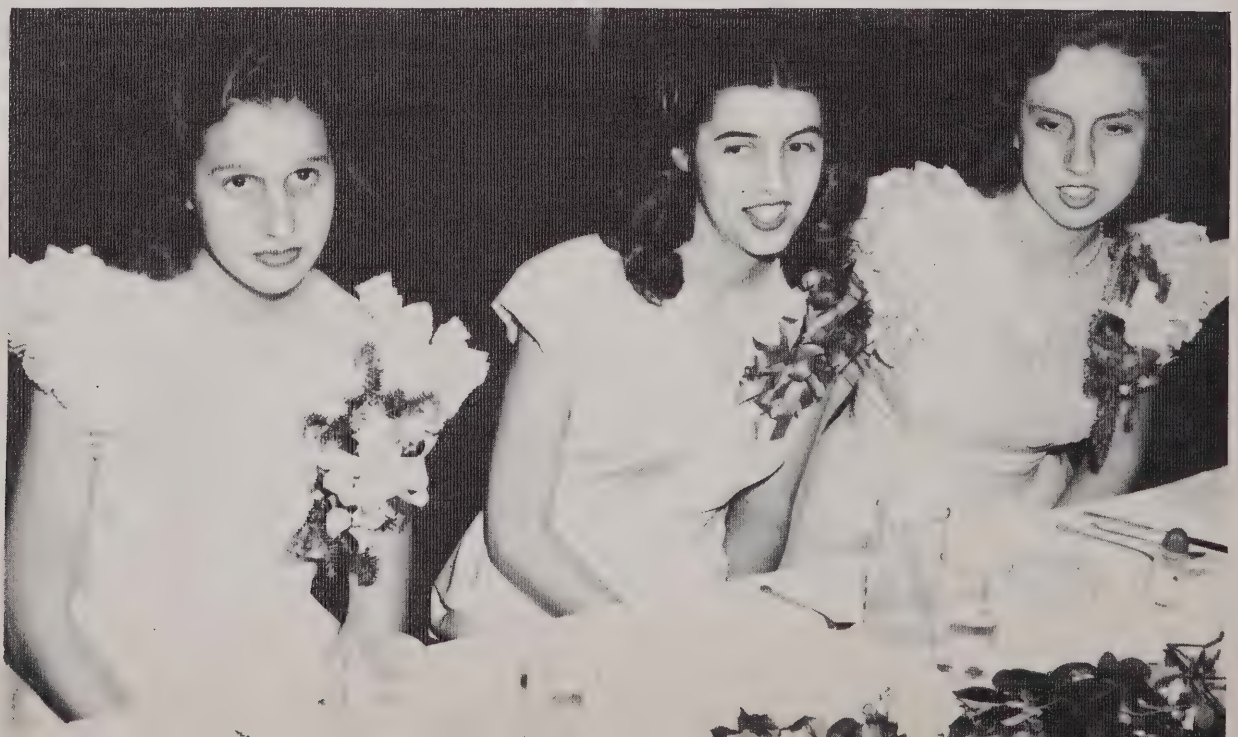
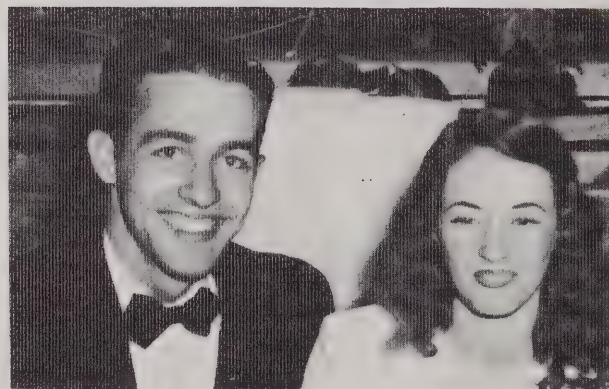


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Jewel

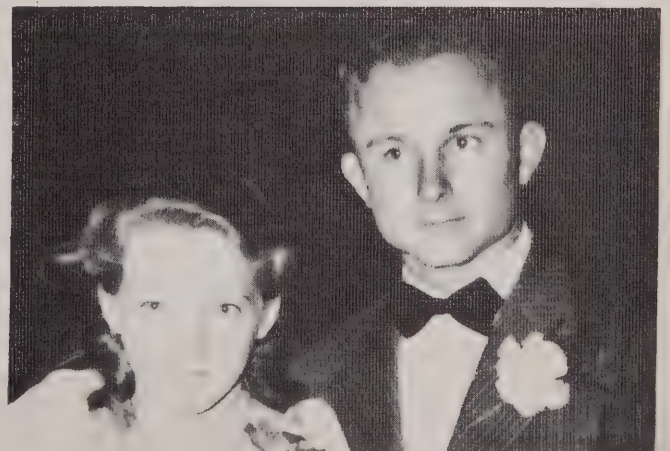
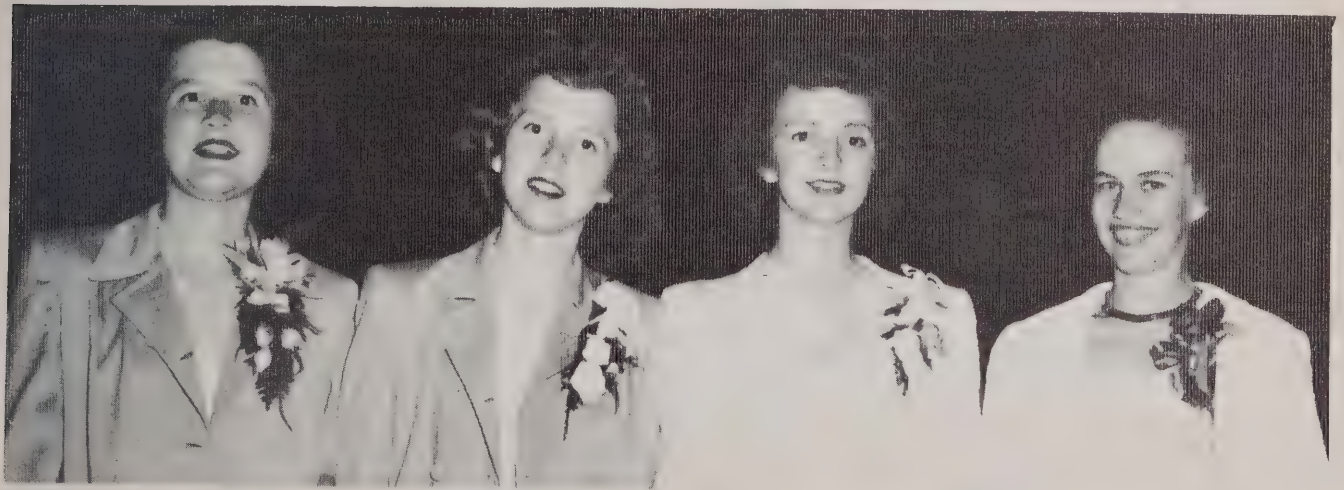


Norma
J.C.

SNAPSHOTS-BANQUET SENIORS



SNAPSHOTS-BANQUET SENIORS



SCENES FROM JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET















FORSYTHE COUNTY 1849



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SNAPSHOTS



To the best who couldn't be better.
I shall always remember you

G. B. Myers

The Best to you in your new job. you have really
been swell in everything. Thanks for everything

Joanne

To the best of everything for a
swell glen club sponsors.

Joan Long

Best of luck
to you and yours
Jimmy
Hite

I can hardly express my emotions about your leaving
us. I have truly enjoyed singing under you. If you get
to come back year-after-next, although we want to be here,
we wish you much luck. I also hope you enjoy your
coming job. Hope they like and appreciate you as much
as we have.

Jacqueline Mendenhall

Mr. Cook,

To me you are not only
a teacher, but a swell friend
We all will miss you next
year, but we won't forget you.
I'm hoping you'll always
remember us as friends.

I think of you
always.

Betty Anderson

The men nice
there two years
I can't it
Jane Taylor

Mrs. Cook,

I sure have enjoyed this year thoroughly. Even though we (Merlyn & I) seemed to find something wrong all the time. May you always have luck success and happiness.

Barbara Myers

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I hope you and
Merlyn will
have a very
happy year.
I hope you
will have
a very
happy
year.

Mrs. Cook,

I hope you enjoy teaching in Kernville

I sure will miss you.

May you have the best of luck always.

Luciline Jackson

Mrs. Cook,

I have enjoyed this year, I wish you the best of luck.

Bill White

It has been a real pleasure being in your glee club this year.

Jimmy Adams

Mrs. Cook,

I will miss you next year.

I hope you have luck at Kernville.

The Glee Club won't be the same without you.

I appreciate all you have done for me and hope you won't forget me. I shall never forget you.

Best of Wishes -

Marquita Myers.

Mrs. Cook;
I shall always
remember you as one
of my best teachers &
have enjoyed the year very
much.
A friend,
Virginia Brown

Mrs. Cook
I shall miss you
very much next year.
I really enjoyed singing
under you and hope
I can again sometime.
Love, John George

Mrs. Cook
I want you to know that
I have enjoyed having you teach
me this year more than I can say.
I consider it a ~~real~~ real privilege
to tell people that I took glee club under
you. I will miss you after you are gone.
But maybe we can see each other again.
a pupil,
Overton Dick

Best of luck to a
swell teacher.
Wally Lambeth

Mrs. Cook,
It has been a pleasure
knowing a person like
you. I wish you all the
luck in the world. Always
stay as much as you are
now & you'll never regret
it!
Love always,
Florence Gagner

The Best
of luck to you and
yours.
Kenneth
McKown

Betty I have enjoyed
being in your glee club
this year and if you didn't
catch me staying out in the
crowd Sunday night I would
like to be in your glee club
next year
a friend always
Emma Williams

Best of luck even
though Old Red & me
didn't get to sing much
this year. "Friend"
Marshall Gagnon

Mrs. Cook,
I want to tell you
that before I met you
and got to know you real
well I thought you would be
the hardest thing to get along with.
But I have found out different. Boy,
talking about liking somebody. I really
like you. We have had lots of fun talking
together + we both have the same enemy. (Do you remember)
I hope you will return here next year because
it would be just like a jail house. You make the lights
shine around here. You are a very sweet person + you have
the good looks too.

loads + loads of love
Elaine Messick

Mrs. Cook, I don't know another person or rather a
teacher who has been so nice to me. I really think
about you as a very smart, understanding person.
I have enjoyed being in your blue clothes for the
past two years. I hope I have it to big of a
father. I sure will miss you next year. I wish
there was something to do to keep you here. I'm
sure there are other like some.
I wish you and your husband moved
happiness, success, and lived in your future
yard together.
Remember me as the "Big
Fatie".
Always
John Hays

